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For : "ENVIRONMENTALLY BENIGN ANTI-ICING
OR DEICING FLUIDS EMPLOYING TRIGLYCERIDE
PROCESSING BY-PRODUCTS "

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U.S. 4,448,702

Relates to freezing-point lowering composition and
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AB U.S. 4,329,449	Relates to method of using recycled mother liquors to produce aldosesides.
AC U.S. 4,960,531	Relates to ice melter comprising an alpha-methyl glucoside and method of making same.
AD U.S. 5,993,684	Relates to composition and method for deicing and anti-icing surfaces.
AE U.S. 4,501,775	Relates to method for reducing the strength of ice.
AF U.S. 3,711,409	Relates to ice-preventive and deicing oil-in-water emulsion.
AG U.S. 5,876,621	Relates to environmentally benign anti-icing or deicing fluids.
AH U.S. 5,980,774	Relates to environmentally benign anti-icing or deicing agent.
AI U.S. 6,129,857	Relates to environmentally benign anti-icing or deicing fluids.
AJ U.S. 6,506,318	Relates to environmentally benign anti-icing or deicing fluids.
AK U.S. 6,080,330	Relates to anti-freezing and deicing composition and method.
AL U.S. 4,676,918	Relates to anti-freeze composition suitable for making surfaces free of snow and ice.
AM U.S. 5,709,812	Relates to deicing composition and method.
AN U.S. 5,709,813	Relates to deicing composition and method.
AO U.S. 5,635,101	Relates to deicing composition and method.

AP

U.S. 5,324,442

Relates to fermentation process for the production of calcium magnesium road deicer.

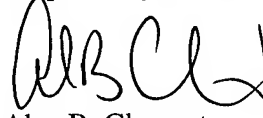
AQ

U.S. 6,299,793

Relates to deicing solution.

Full text copies of the prior art are enclosed herewith. It is respectfully requested that this art be considered by the Examiner in the above-entitled application and made of record therein. It is believed that no fee is required for submission of this Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b). However, if a fee is due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 08-1540.

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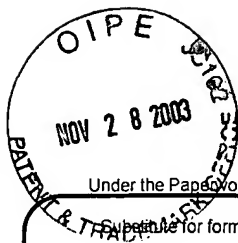
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